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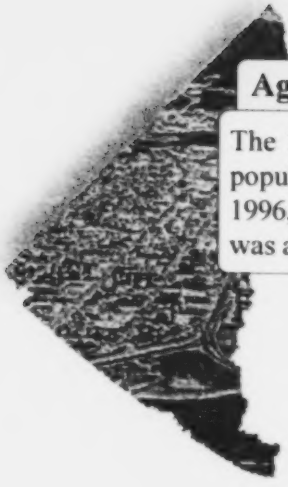

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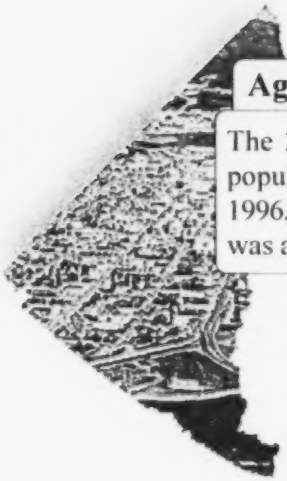

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	(no.)	
Total Population	30,765	28,675
Never married (single)	16,610	15,460
Legally married (and not separated)	10,090	9,160
Separated (but still legally married)	1,095	1,015
Divorced	2,235	2,235
Widowed	730	800
	1996	**2001**
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Total Population	100.0	100.0
Never married (single)	54.0	53.9
Legally married (and not separated)	32.8	31.9
Separated (but still legally married)	3.6	3.5
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20-24 years	1,640	1,530	95	10	5	0
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30-34 years	2,115	1,035	860	95	115	10
35-39 years	2,610	995	1,200	165	240	15
40-44 years	2,990	840	1,535	170	410	30
45-49 years	2,785	600	1,540	165	440	40
50-54 years	2,285	395	1,280	155	380	65
55-59 years	1,485	190	875	90	250	80
60-64 years	970	115	560	60	170	70
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75-79 years	285	30	135	0	25	90
80-84 years	160	10	40	5	20	85
85-89 years	95	10	20	0	5	60
90 years and over	45	10	5	0	5	25
Median age	36.1	18.6	46.5	45.7	48.7	68.7

Common-law Status by Age, Yukon, 2001

	Total Population	In a common-law relationship	Not in a common-law relationship
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65-69 years	690	30	655
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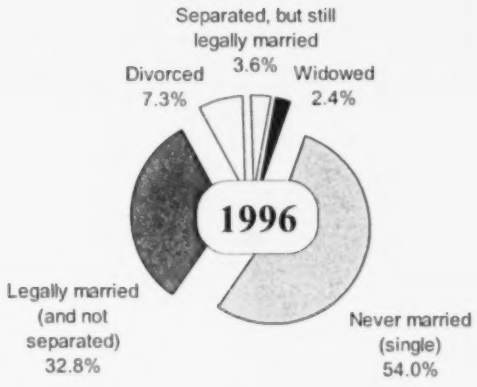

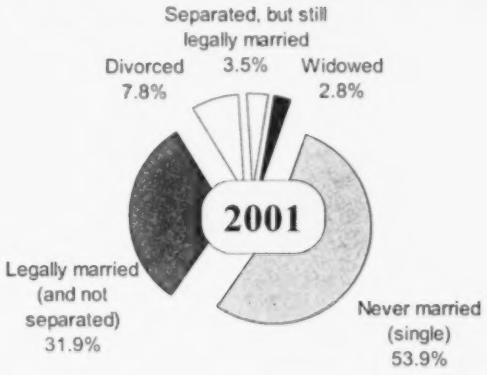

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